

# Comparisons of Job Characteristics

**Focus Occupation:** [Construction Laborers \(47-2061\)](#)

**Associated Occupation:** [Stonemasons \(47-2022\)](#)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

## Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 88

**Focus Occupation:** Construction Laborers (47-2061)

**Associated Occupation:** Stonemasons (47-2022)

Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Building and Construction	4.0	17.2	16.8	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Mathematics	9.2	15.4	11.1	<< Extensive education and/or training may be required
Design	5.2	9.9	10.7	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 69

**Focus Occupation:** Construction Laborers (47-2061)

**Associated Occupation:** Stonemasons (47-2022)

Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Coordination	9.1	10.1	8.6	< A higher skill level may be required
Equipment Selection	3.3	5.5	5.3	0 Current skill level may be sufficient
Equipment Maintenance	3.5	4.8	4.6	0 Current skill level may be sufficient
Management of Material Resources	3.7	4.5	1.2	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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## Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 83

**Focus Occupation: Construction Laborers (47-2061)**  
**Associated Occupation: Stonemasons (47-2022)**

Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Static Strength	5.0	14.7	11.6	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Trunk Strength	5.7	11.9	10.3	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Manual Dexterity	6.5	11.1	11.2	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Stamina	4.0	10.1	8.6	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Extent Flexibility	4.8	9.6	7.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Dynamic Strength	3.5	9.2	7.0	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Gross Body Coordination	3.9	8.6	6.2	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Gross Body Equilibrium	3.2	7.3	4.8	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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## Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

**Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 88**

**Focus Occupation: Construction Laborers (47-2061)**  
**Associated Occupation: Stonemasons (47-2022)**

Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Adhere to safety procedures	12
Apply adhesives, caulking, sealants, or coatings	45
Apply cleaning solvents	41
Apply plaster, stucco or related material	80
Build or repair structures in construction, repair, or manufacturing setting	54
Climb ladders, scaffolding, or utility or telephone poles	56
Dig holes or trenches for foundations, posts, poles, or related items	78
Erect scaffold	56
Fabricate, assemble, or disassemble manufactured products by hand	11
Finish concrete surfaces	82
Install prefabricated building components	74
Mix mortar, grout, slurry, concrete, or related masonry material	80
Mix paint, ingredients, or chemicals, according to specifications	35
Move or fit heavy objects	8
Operate hoist, winch, or hydraulic boom	34
Perform safety inspections in construction or resource extraction setting	46
Prepare site or surfaces for concrete or masonry work	76
Read tape measure	41

Understand construction specifications	53
Use hand or power tools	2
Use measuring devices in construction or extraction work	41
Verify levelness or verticality, using level or plumb bob	72

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus  
Occupation to Associated  
Occupation: n/a

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### Tools and Technologies

### Exclusivity

Tools and technology data is unavailable for one or both occupations.

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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